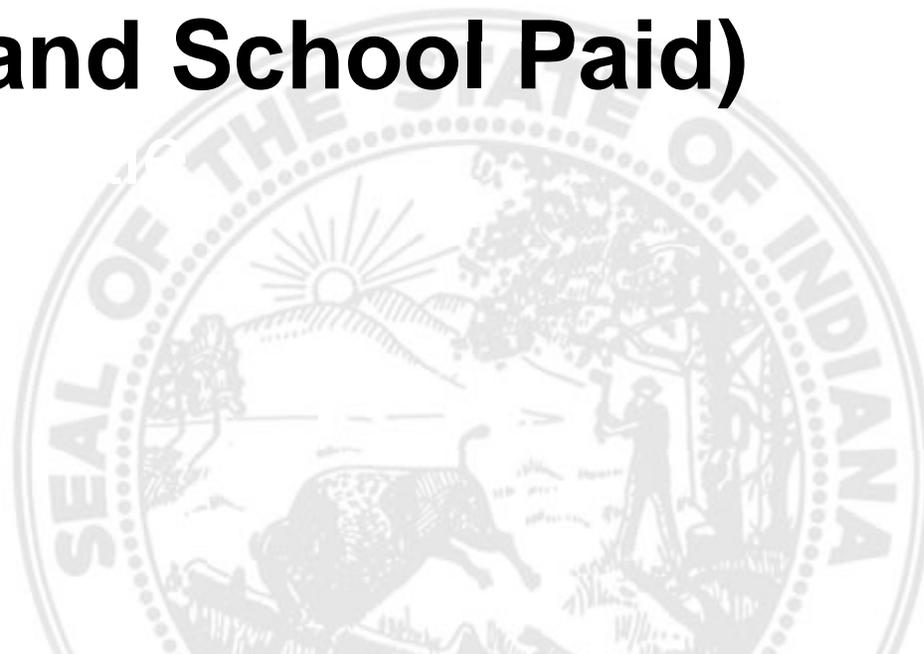




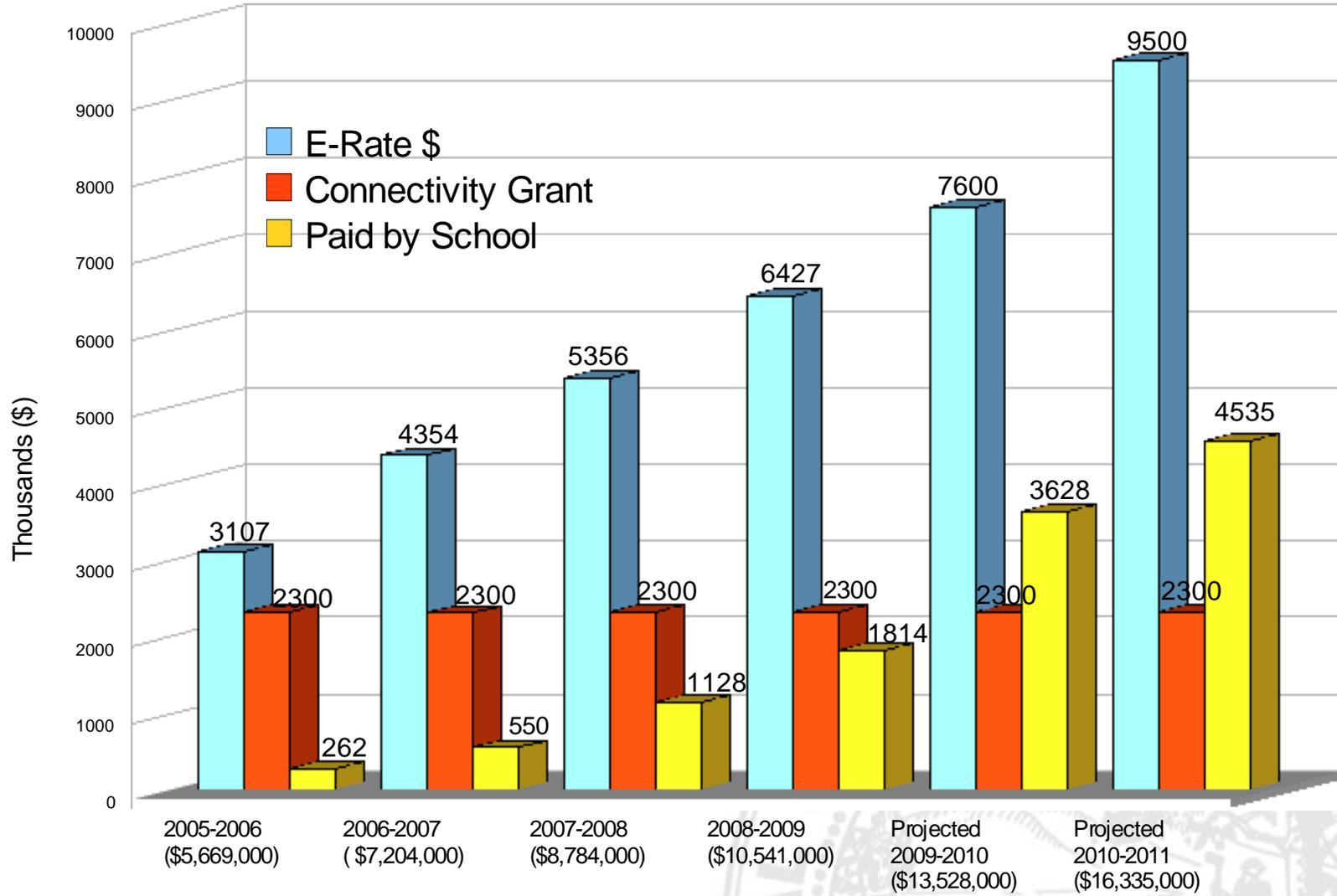
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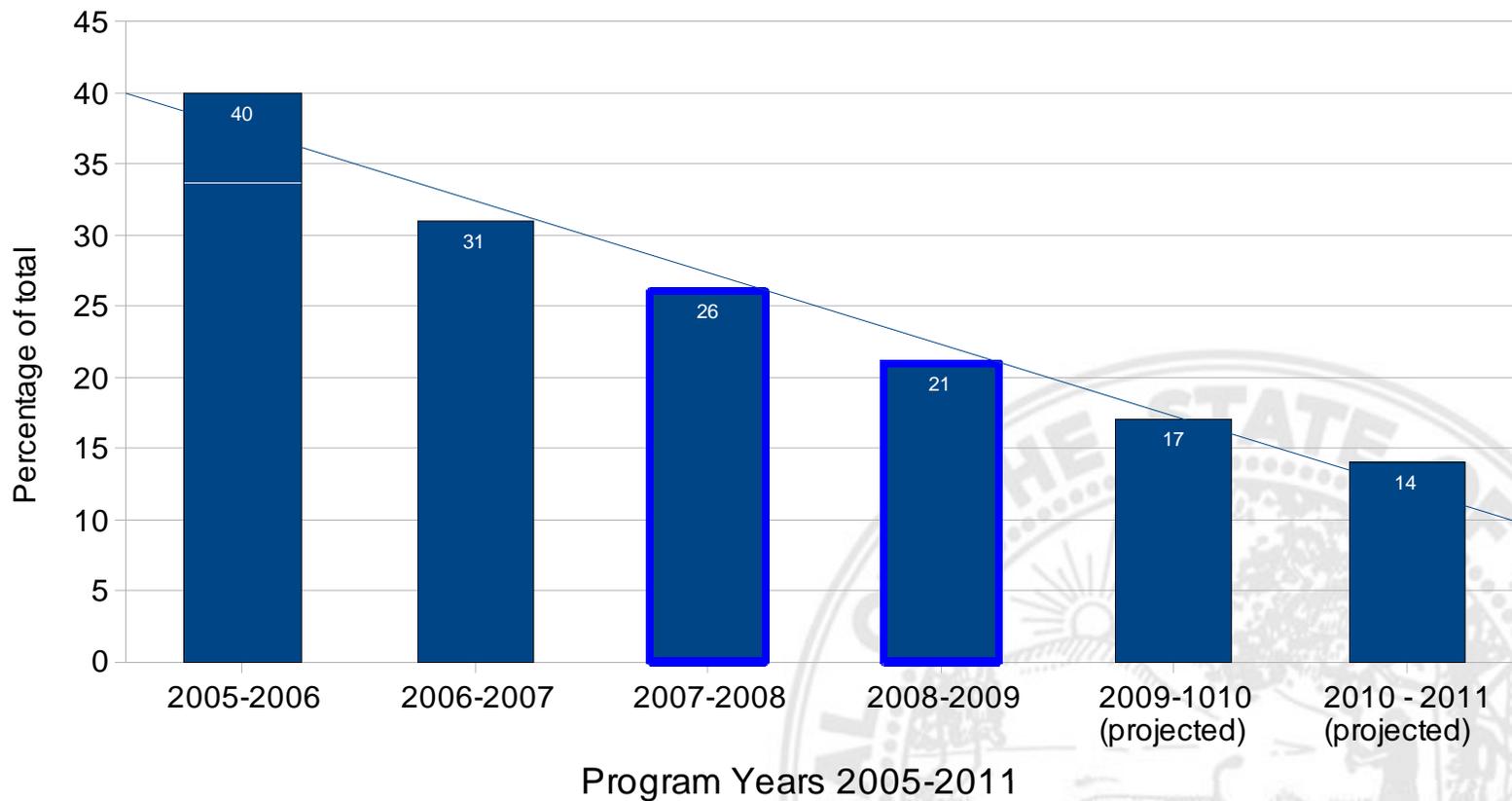


Program years 2005 - 2011





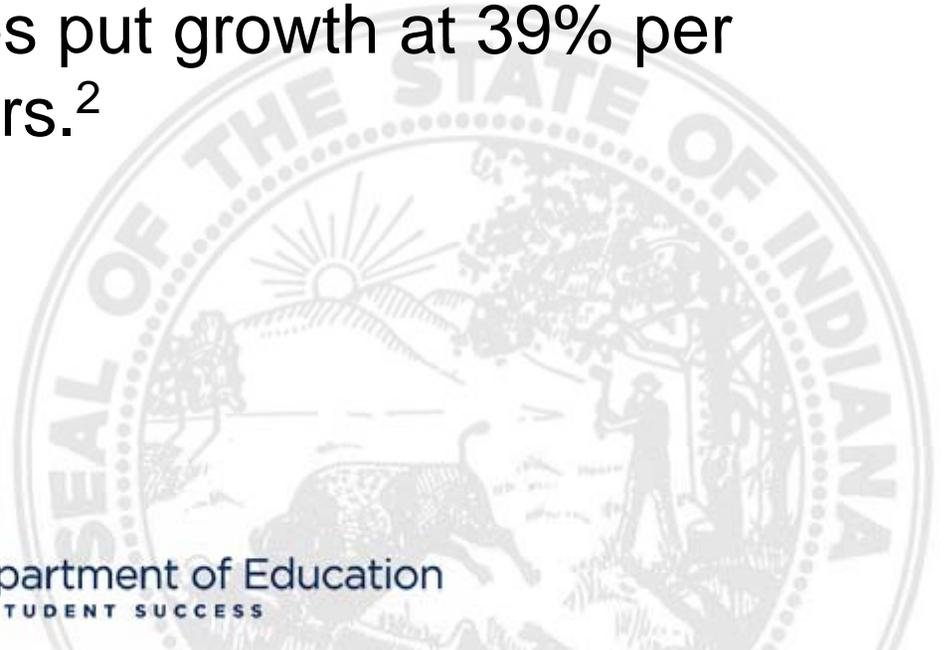
State \$ as a Percent of Total \$ Expended for Bandwidth





Internet in Schools

- Internet usage is increasing at a rate of more than 25% a year¹
- Online testing, teacher resources, and student research continues to drive Internet usage upward. Some estimates put growth at 39% per year within three (3) years.²





Major Issues for the State³

Indiana's ranking continues to slide:

World Ranking	Median Download Speed (megabits per second)
1 Japan	63.60
2 South Korea	49.50
3 Finland	21.70
4 France	17.60
8 Canada	7.60
15 United States	2.35
INDIANA	2.30





Data Sources

1. An average 25% growth rate of Internet connectivity is reflected in graph on page three (3). Except for Projected years, data are from actual billing to schools under the State's contract with Education Networks of America.

2. *America's Digital Schools 2008*

3. *Speedmatters.org* (<http://speedmatters.org>)

